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In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, Applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached PTO-1449 forms. A copy of the International Search Report was supplied, when this application entered the U.S. national phase.

The International Search Report indicates that US 2005/0192435 A1 is a substantively cumulative English language counterpart of EP 1 127 940.

Copies of the non-U.S. references and/or English language abstracts thereof are enclosed herewith.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 forms.

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